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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY (U60W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in its Chico District by \$6,380,400 or 49.1% in July 2008, \$1,651,100 or 8.5% in July 2009, and by \$1,651,100 or 7.9% in July 2010; in its East Los Angeles District by \$7,193,200 or 36.5% in July 2008, \$2,034,800 or 7.6% in July 2009, and by \$2,034,800 or 7.0% in July 2010; in its Livermore District by \$3,960,900 or 31.2% in July 2008, \$942,200 or 5.6% in July 2009, and by \$942,200 or 5.4% in July 2010; in its Los Altos-Suburban District by \$5,172,500 or 30.5% in July 2008, \$1,189,100 or 5.4% in July 2009, and by \$1,189,100 or 5.1% in July 2010; in its Mid-Peninsula District by \$5,435,100 or 23.7% in July 2008, \$1,634,200 or 5.8% in July 2009, and by \$1,634,200 or 5.5% in July 2010; in its Salinas District by \$5,119,700 or 29.8% in July 2008, \$3,636,900 or 16.3% in July 2009, and by \$2,271,300 or 8.7% in July 2010; in its Stockton District by \$7,474,600 or 29.0% in July 2008, \$1,422,400 or 4.3% in July 2009, and by \$1,422,400 or 4.1% in July 2010; and in its Visalia District by \$3,651,907 or 28.4% in July 2008, \$3,546,440 or 21.3% in July 2009, and by \$3,620,482 or 17.6% in July 2010.

Application 07-07-001  
(Filed July 3, 2007)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING GRANTING  
LEONA VALLEY TOWN COUNCIL'S MOTION FOR PARTY STATUS**

I grant Leona Valley Town Council's (Leona Valley) unopposed motion for party status in this proceeding. However, because testimony by intervenors was

due January 3, 2008, I give Leona Valley an extra eight days to submit its testimony. California Water Service Company stipulated to this extension.

Leona Valley's testimony shall be served on the service list for this proceeding, available at [http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/published/service\\_lists/A0707001\\_75565.htm](http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/published/service_lists/A0707001_75565.htm) no later than January 11, 2008 at 5:00 p.m. Pacific time. Leona Valley's testimony and other participation in this proceeding shall be limited to the issues pertinent to the water district in which Leona Valley is situated. Leona Valley's intervention shall cause no additional change in the schedule for the proceedings, attached.

**IT IS SO RULED.**

Dated January 7, 2008, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ SARAH R. THOMAS

Sarah R. Thomas  
Administrative Law Judge

## ATTACHMENT

**Schedule**

The future schedule for this proceeding shall be as follows:

DATE	EVENT
January 3, 2008	DRA and other intervenors' testimony served (not filed).
January 11, 2008	Leona Valley testimony served.
January 22, 2008	Cal Water's testimony served (not filed).
January 25, 2008	Settlement discussions. Parties shall meet at least one time with a Commission neutral mediator before hearing. <b>They shall be in contact with ALJ Thomas well in advance of this date to have a mediator selected.</b>
February 11, 13, 14 and 15, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Evidentiary hearings California Public Utilities Commission State Office Building 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102.
February 29, 2008	Opening post-hearing briefs filed/served.
March 14, 2008	Reply post-hearing briefs filed/served.
June 10, 2008	ALJ proposed decision issued.
June 27, 2008	Comments on proposed decision filed/served.
July 7, 2008	Replies to comments on proposed decision filed/served.
July 31, 2008	Commission decision.

**(END OF ATTACHMENT)**

### **INFORMATION REGARDING SERVICE**

I have provided notification of filing to the electronic mail addresses on the attached service list.

Upon confirmation of this document's acceptance for filing, I will cause a Notice of Availability of the filed document to be served upon the service list to this proceeding by U.S. mail. The service list I will use to serve the Notice of Availability of the filed document is current as of today's date.

Dated January 7, 2008, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS

Elizabeth Lewis